

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0022] with the following amended paragraph:

[0022] Figure 1 displays a known hook-on metal panel 150, such as the RH-200 metal panel available from Armstrong World Industries, installed in a known asymmetric J-bar suspension system. A typical asymmetric suspension system includes ~~grid~~ suspension elements, such as U-profiles, and ~~suspension~~ grid elements, such as J-bars or H-bars. Figure 1 illustrates a suspension system having a U-profile 100 being supported by 12-gauge hanger wire 130, spaced 4 feet on center. The system also has J-bar grid elements 110 which are attached to the U-profile 100 at every module, wherein a module is dictated by the length of a panel 150. The J-bar 110 is connected to the U-profile 100 with a hanger 120 having a slot in which the top straight leg 122 of the J-bar 110 is installed. A plug-in clip 140 can be used to secure the J-bar hanger 120 to the U-profile 100 at a desired module. The plug-in clip 140 can be formed from a single piece of resilient spring metal folded upon itself to define a base and first and second arms extending from the base in spaced relation. A fastener 124 (shown in Figure 2), such as a bolt-type fastener, can be used to secure the straight leg 122 of the J-bar 110 in the hanger slot. Figures 1 and 2 also show how the edges 152, 154 of adjacent panels 150 are positioned over the J-bar 110. A foam gasket 160 may be used to separate and provide isolation between adjacent panels.